Notice of Proposed No Further Action

For

CDPR Jug Handle State Natural Reserve 15360 North Highway 1 Caspar, California

Case Number 1TMC382

Mendocino County

Notice Posting Date: September 10, 2020

End of Comment Period: November 9, 2020

A soil and groundwater investigation was conducted at the above-referenced site due to a potential fuel release from an underground fuel storage tank previously at the site. The investigation satisfactorily demonstrated that there is no significant soil or groundwater contamination from the former underground storage tank system. Regional Water Board staff proposes that no further work be required. The purpose of this notice is to inform interested parties, including owners of nearby land, that the case is being considered for closure, and to invite public comment on this proposed decision.

Problem Description

A previous underground storage tank fuel system, removed in the 1998, potentially released fuel into the subsurface. Insufficient testing was performed at the time of the tank removal to determine if there had been a release. Soil and groundwater at the site were investigated in January 2020. No significant contamination was found.

Proposed Action

Case closure is proposed. Unless significant comments are received or new information is presented regarding this site, Regional Water Board staff plans to proceed with the closure process upon conclusion of the comment period. Please contact Craig Hunt at (707) 576-2469 or Craig.Hunt@waterboards.ca.gov with any questions or comments. Written comments may also be submitted to:

North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board Attention: Craig Hunt 5550 Skylane Blvd, Suite A Santa Rosa, CA 95403

Regional Water Board site records comprise both a paper file and an electronic file. Beginning in 2005, select file material was uploaded to the State Water Resources Control Board's GeoTracker website and is not necessarily included in the paper file. All new file material after 2014 is retained only electronically. The GeoTracker records are available at

http://geotracker.waterboards.ca.gov/profile_report.asp?global_id=T0604500313.

The paper file ("CDPR Jug Handle", Case No. 1TMC382) may be reviewed at the North Coast Regional Water Quality Control Board office from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Appointments can be arranged by calling (707) 576-2220.

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